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☒ original patent application,  
☐ continuation-in-part application

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TITLE: Method and Apparatus For Managing Device Reservation

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- ☒ The Declaration and Power of Attorney. ☒ signed ☐ unsigned or partially signed  
☒ 4 sheets of drawings (one set) ☐ Associate Power of Attorney  
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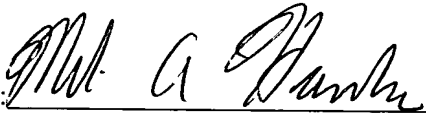


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